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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Application of: L. Dewi, et al. Group Art Unit: To be assigned 8A  
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Title: Iodine-Containing Radioactive Sources

**First Preliminary Amendment**

Honorable Assistant Commissioner of Patents  
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Sir:

Please consider the following amendments and remarks in connection with the prosecution of the captioned application, which is a filing under 35 U.S.C. § 371 and claims priority to international application number PCT/GB00/00644 filed February 23, 2000. This application also claims priority to patent application number 9915718.2 filed in Great Britain July 5, 1999. This application claims the benefit of United States provisional application number 60/138,938 filed June 11, 1999.

**In the Claims**

Please amend page 31, line 1, as follows:

[Claims]

What is claimed is: